State of California California Regional Water Quality Control Board Santa Ana Region

January 29, 2010

ITEM: XX

SUBJECT: Renewal of Waste Discharge Requirements for the San Bernardino

County Flood Control District, the County of San Bernardino, and the Incorporated Cities of San Bernardino County within the Santa Ana Region, Area-Wide Urban Strom Water Runoff Management

Program, Order No. R8-2010-0036 (NPDES No. CAS 618036)

BACKGROUND

On June 26, 2009, the first draft of the San Bernardino County municipal storm water permit was released for public comments. Subsequently, on August 3, 2009, the Regional Board held a public workshop on this item. Based on comments received at the workshop, during a number of stakeholder meetings, and written comments from interested parties, a second draft of the tentative order was released for public comments on October 22, 2009. Based on further comments by interested parties and stakeholders, a third draft of the Tentative Order and Fact Sheet were released on December 15, 2009 (attached to this staff report) that included further refinements to the second draft. The Regional Board will consider adoption of the latest version of the draft of the tentative Order at the January 29, 2010 Board meeting.

DISCUSSION

See attached Fact Sheet.

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt Order No. R8-2010-0036, NPDES No. CA8618036, as presented.